



## **BEARFACTS 1992 – 2002**

### **Coosa , Alabama [01037]**

Coosa is one of 67 counties in Alabama. It is part of the Alexander City, AL Micropolitan SA. Its 2002 population of 11,564 ranked 64th in the state.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2002 Coosa had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$18,634. This PCPI ranked 58th in the state and was 73 percent of the state average, \$25,461, and 60 percent of the national average, \$30,821. The 2002 PCPI remained unchanged from 2001. The 2001-2002 state change was 2.9 percent and the national change was 0.8 percent. In 1992 the PCPI of Coosa was \$13,613 and ranked 55th in the state. The 1992-2002 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 3.2 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 3.9 percent and for the nation was 4.0 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2002 Coosa had a total personal income (TPI) of \$215,489\*. This TPI ranked 64th in the state and accounted for 0.2 percent of the state total. In 1992 the TPI of Coosa was \$152,155\* and ranked 62nd in the state. The 2002 TPI reflected a decrease of 1.7 percent from 2001. The 2001-2002 state change was 3.1 percent and the national change was 1.8 percent. The 1992-2002 average annual growth rate of TPI was 3.5 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.7 percent and for the nation was 5.2 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Coosa. In 2002 net earnings accounted for 61.3 percent of TPI (compared with 68.8 in 1992); dividends, interest, and rent were 13.0 percent (compared with 11.8 in 1992); and personal current transfer receipts were 25.7 percent (compared with 19.3 in 1992). From 2001 to 2002 net earnings decreased 3.5 percent; dividends, interest, and rent decreased 12.3 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 10.0 percent. From 1992 to 2002 net earnings increased on average 2.3 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 4.6 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.5 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Coosa decreased from \$71,773\* in 2001 to \$69,142\* in 2002, a decrease of 3.7 percent. The 2001-2002 state change was 3.6 percent and the national change was 2.1 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1992 estimate of \$64,629\* to the 2002 estimate was 0.7 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.5 percent and for the nation was 5.4 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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